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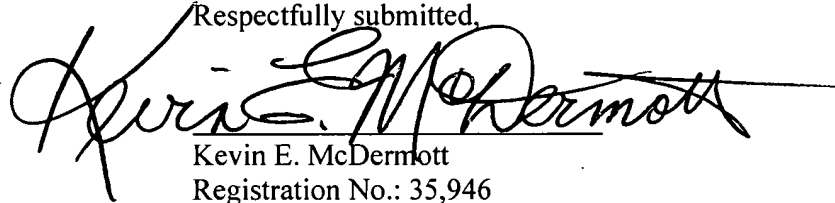
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Rudolf L. van Renesse, "Optical Document Security," Second Edition, pp. 274-287, Artech House, 1998.

The above-referenced documents are listed on Form PTO-1449 and copies are enclosed to facilitate reference to them.

Applicants are not aware of any other references to be identified at this time. If the Examiner has any questions or comments relating to the present application, he or she is respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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